

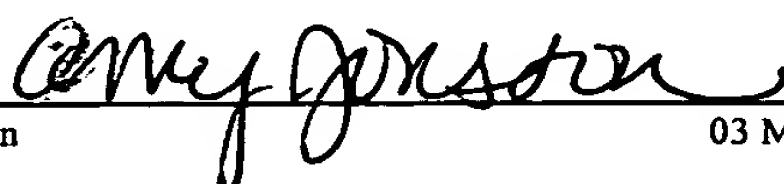


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| Filed: 05 January 2001 |) | Examiner: Unassigned |
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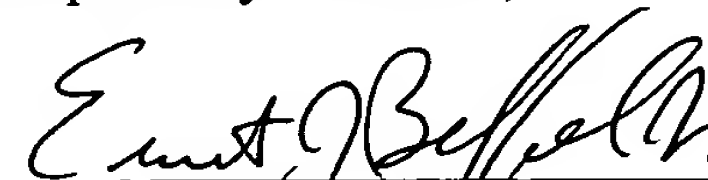
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- [X] Form PTO-1533 (copy of Notice to be returned with response);
- [X] Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by the inventor(s) and the surcharge of \$65.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e);
- [X] Assignment document, Form PTO-1595, and the \$40.00 (Check No. 1214) assignment recordation fee;
- [X] Power of Attorney by Assignee to Exclusion of Inventor Under 37 C.F.R. §3.71 with Revocation of Prior Powers;
- [X] Corrected Formal Drawings (11 sheets);
- [X] Check No. 1213 in the amount of \$ 1,148.00.
- [] Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 50-0869 (Docket No. BLFR 1001-1).

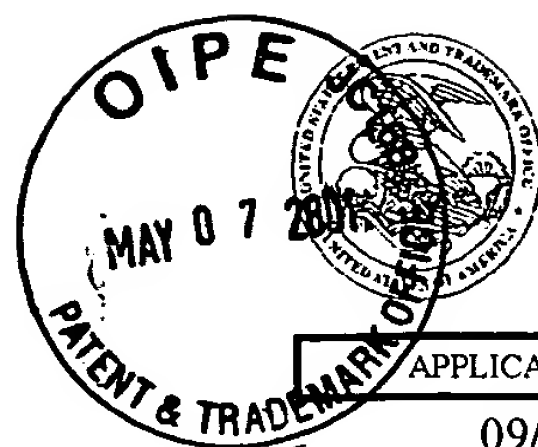
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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

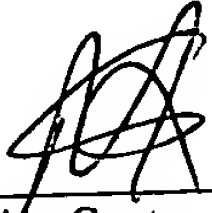
- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$728.
 - \$648 for 72 total claims over 20.
 - \$80 for 2 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1148.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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